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BECKER *et al.*

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**AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO NON-FINAL OFFICE ACTION**

MS Amendment  
Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
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Dear Sir:

This response is filed in reply to the outstanding non-Final Office Action, mailed on November 17, 2006, in connection with the above application. A Petition for Extension of Time and the appropriate fee are being filed concurrently.

**Amendments to the Drawings** begin on page 2 of this paper. The replacement drawing sheets and the associated paper are attached with this Amendment.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 3 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 22 of this paper.